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care anything about price—I want time." It is a strange fascination, or improvident habit, in which they are willing to pay \$2 for a \$1 article for the privilege of paying for it 50c, at a time. These same people don't seem to understand how it is that they are always hard up. No man can prosper as long as he paye \$2 and gets \$1 for it. I don't want any credit business. If you have a dollar to spend, I will give you 100 cents' worth for it. If you can't pay cash for what you want you need not come. We don't sell on time. Read they price. Excessive Heat Closes the Schools

and these prices:
All-hair Mattress, 40 pounds, \$8.50. Real Curled for Mattress, full size, &c., \$12.50. Cotton-top faitress, \$2.25. Oct Suite, \$16.50. Best Wire Cots.
A. Spring Roller Shades, 30c. A Crystal Tunder, 25c. Fly Fans, \$1.55. Initial Tumbers, any er, we don't seil enything on installments, Remember, we don't seil anything on installments, so that if you buy for cash don't spend your money until you come and see us. We claim to be the only louse in Washington where you can furnish a house complete with everything needed, except cooking

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PORTENTOUS WORDS.

The Duke of Baden Looks for Another French War.

WONDERFUL ESCAPE OF S.W. THORNTON Release of the Itata on Filing a

Bond.

THE SEARLES WILL CONTEST.

GERMANY EXPECTS WAR.

France, the Duke of Baden Says, Has Not Learned Prudence by Defeat.

Paris, Sept. 22.—The Dix Neuvieme Sicole publishes a dispatch from a correspondent in Baden giving the substance of a speech which it is cinimed was made by the Grand Duke of Baden at the close of the recent maneuvers of the southwest army. According to this dispatch the grand duke said. patch the grand dake said:

Mass been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETH- sacrifices which Germany has undergone in order to guarantee peace will not be hindered by the culpable proceedings of our neighbor of the culpable proceedings of our neighbor of the culpable proceedings of our neighbor or the culpable pro "Since the last maneuvers of our army the bors, who are only awaiting a propitious occasion to again open an era of bloody cospiracy. We must regard the future w th energy and resolution. The time is near w en Germany must again unsheath her sword in . e-Germany must again unsheath her swordin effense of her independence against an enemy who has not learned prudence by bloody defeat. It vill be the duty of the valiant corps of Baren to support the first onset, to fire the first si ot and to carry the palm of victory.

The Dix Neuvieme Sircle says that the speech has created a great sensation in Eaden, and that while the German press has not published it, its authenticity cannot be denied.

### THEIR ESCAPE WONDERFUL Story Told by Samuel Thornton of His Re-

markable Rescue From the Sca. JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Sept. 22. - Samuel Thornton of Brooklyn, N. Y., and his sister-in-law, Miss Ada Jewell of the same city, are in this city, and if the story they tell is true they have had one of the most marvelous escapes from death on record.

Thornton was seen by a press representative, to whom he told the following tale: "On the afternoon of August 27 Miss Jewell and myself afternoon of August 27 Miss Jewell and myself went in bathing at Concy Island. There was a very strong undertow that carried us out to sea. Both of us could swim and after floating around for a while we fortunately came across a floating log. On this we drifted about until nearly dark when a Spanish barque, bound for a South American port, picked us up. Miss Jewell immediately collapsed from exhaustion on reaching the collapsed from exhaustion on reaching the deck of the vessel. This was followed by an attack of fever, and she was delirious for five

graphed for particulars.

LATER.—S. W. Thornton has wired from Jacksonville, Fla., the correct combination of his safe, and his brother and other relatives are satisfied of his identity. His story is now

### RELEASE OF THE ITATA. Bond for the Vessel Was Filed for Double

Its Value. Los ANGELES, CAL., Sept. 22.-The apnorted to Judge Ross fixing the value of the

will visit Lynn, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Coffin. They will inspect the electric works and several shoe factories in the afternoon and in the early evening will hold an informal reception.

## MRS. HOPKINS-SEARLES' WILL lidity.

SALEM, Mass., Sept. 22 .- The hearing in the Scarles will case was opened in the probate court this morning. The hearing is on petition of the executor for the silowance of the will. The executor was represented by Solomon Lincoln, Frederick Dodge, Wm. Allen Butler and R chard Dodge.
Timothy Hopkins was in court with his counsel, Hon. W. C. Endicott, E. T. Burleigh and

The first proceedings were the reading of the petition and wid.

Wm. W. Dodge, a witness to the will, testified to going from Cambridge to Methuen July 16, 1888, and drawing the will of Mrs. Searles.

It was read to her and she signed it after declaring that it expressed her wishes. She declaring that it expressed her wishe was to all appearances of sound mind.

## A PITTSBURG SUSPENSION

One Result of the Assignment of White PITTSBURG, Sept. 22.—Rea Bros. & Co., pron nent brokers of this city, correspondents of S. V. White & Co. of New York, have tem porarily suspended business, the result of the failure of White & Co. this morning.

St. Patt, Minn., Sept. 22 .- The school board armounces that on account of excessive heat the city schools, including the high school, will be closed.

Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association. The sixth annual convention of the Switchnen's Mutual Aid Association convened at Philadelphia yesterday. The convention was opened with a prayer by the Rev. Russell Conrell, paster of the Grace Baptist Church, after which T. B. Essiek, master of the Philadelphia Lodge, welcomed the delegates. Addresses were made by Col. A K. McCluro, editor of the Times, and several other prominent citizens.
The principal business before the convention
will be a revision of the constitution, and an
effort will be made to take in the yard masters

began at Saratoga, N. Y., yesterday with a large attendance, representing nearly every state east of the Mississippi. The opening A FIER ASLEEPLESS NIGHT USE ANGOSTURA Students to tone up your system. Buy only the sensions was delivered by the Rev. R. Armsteller's Little Liver Fills ununediately after dinner.

A FIER ASLEEPLESS NIGHT USE ANGOSTURA Strong. M. A., of Liverpool, England. The sessions will continue three days. A variety of papers on religious and scientific topics will be read and discussed.

## IN WALL STREET TODAY. The Stock Market Not Affected by the Fall-

ure of S. V. White & Co. NEW YORK, Sept. 22 .- The stock market at the opening this morning was rather less ex- commission yesterday Mr. W. P. Dewey was recited and not so active, but there were rumors | called and testified that recently he had been of impending failures and first prices showed on the Truesdell tract and had taken specirregular changes and the early dealings con- mens of mineral from a hole five feet deep. ness. Union Pacific was exceptional in opening up 1½ per cent at 45, while Northwestern was down %

One specimen was different from others and yielded gold at the rate of \$32.04 per ton and another \$3.62 per ton.

S. J. Davenport testified that he had taken another \$3.62 per ton.
S. J. Davenport testified that he had taken cent at 45, while Northwestern was down % per cent, while Lackawanna, in the first downward movement, lost one per cent. The failure materialized in that of the well-known firm of S. V. White & Co., and Lackawanna naturally suffered most in the selling, while it rallied later, recovering all of the loss. The weakest point in the market was sugar, which dropped away sharply from 98% to 91%, but also rallied in the late trading. The general list, with great activity in Atchison, St. Paul, Union Pacific and the grangers, was traded in within narrow

On cross-examination witness said that he was two days on the Truesdell property and he estimated the value as above on the fact that the quartz carried the gold and he washed it and the grangers, was traded in within narrow limits and rallied fully in the latter part of the hour, when the effects of the failure were seen to have had no influence upon stocks. At 11 o'clock the market was comparatively quiet and firm at close to opening figures.

Money on call is easy at 41425 per cent.

MR. EDSON'S VALUATION.

bonds active and firm.

The stock market again developed marked activity and weakness under further bear drives and prices in all the active stocks except drives and prices in all the active stocks except Lackawanna reached a still lower price than during the first hour, Louisville and Nashville losing at its lowest figure 1½ per cent and the other leading shares generally from 1 to 1½ Late in the hour there was another rally, when the pressure was lifted, everything on the list moving up again, the Villards leading. At noon the market was active and firm generally at small market was active and firm generally at small fractions below the opening figures.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

New York Stock Market. The following are the opening and closing prices of the New York Stock Market, as reported by special wire to Corson and Macartney, 1419 F street.

Name.	0.	C.	Name.	0.	C.
Atch Bell Tel	. 46%	45%	E. & W. pre N. J. Cen		68%
Can. South	. 60%	360	N.& W. pref	BUTCH SOLITOR	110%
C., B. & Q	. 99%		Northwest	116%	115%
Can. Pac Cen. Pac		33%	N. American	19%	
C. & O	200	26	Nor. Pac Do. pref	30%	29%
C.&O. 1st p'd	. ott	59	Ore., R. W. &N.	*****	
D. L. & W	. 144%			58%	0834
D. & H. Canal. D. & Rio Gr	. 138%	138	Pac. Mail Reading	39%	41%
Dopref	50%	51	Rich. Ter	14	133
Dis & Cat. Fd	. 51%	5136	Rock Island.	85%	85%
Ft. Worth Cts	31%	30%	St. Paul	. 245	·was:
Hocking Val		129%		121%	1215
Ill. Cen	. 10336	103%	St. P. M. & M.		109%
Lake Shore	. 122%	121%		93%	91%
Louis & Nash Manhattan			Sugar pref	16%	
Mo. Pac	76%		Ten. C. & 1	36%	
Mich. Cen	102	102	Union Pac	45	435
Lead Trust	111	110%	Wabash Do. pref	15%	15%
N. Y. & N. E.		41%		33%	
COLUMN CONTRACT	-		ank Factor		

Sales—Regular call—12 o'clock m.: D. C. 3.65s, \$100 at 112\frac{1}{2}\$. Washington Gas, 43 at 48\frac{1}{2}\$. Government Bonds—1. S. 4s. registered, 1907, 116\frac{1}{2}\$ bid, 117 asked. U. S. 4s, coupons, 1907, 117\frac{1}{2}\$ bid, 118 asked.

District of Columbia Bonds—Market stock, 7s, 1800 coupons, 1912\frac{1}{2}\$ bid, 118 asked.

Railroad Convertible 6s, 120 bid, 126 asked. U. S. Riectric Light, con. 5s, 104 bid, 117 asked.
National Bank Stocks—Bank of Washington, 483 bid, 500 asked. Bank of Republic, 270 bid, — asked. Metropolitan, 267 bid, 215 asked. Central, 300 bid, 350 asked. Second. 182 bid, 200 asked. Farmers and Mechanics', 190 bid, —asked. Citizens', 170 bid, 185 asked. Columbia, 150 bid, 160 asked. Capital, 122 bid, —asked. West End, 96 bid, 102 asked. Traders', 115 bid, 120 asked. Lincoln, 98 bid, 103 asked.
Hailroad Stocks—Washington and Georgetown, 223 bid. —asked. Metropolitan. 104 bid, 115 asked. Columbia. 63 bid, 72 asked. Capitol and North O Street, 364 bid, 46 asked. Eckington and Soldiers' Home, — bid, 48 asked. Rock Creek, 100 bid, —asked.

insurance Stocks - Firemen's, 50 bid, 60 asked.

praisers in the case of the steamer Itata reported to Judge Ross fixing the value of the vessel at \$60,000 and the arms at the same amount. The vessel was ordered released on the filing of bonds in double the amount.

Counsel for defense in the cases against Richard L. Trumbull, George A. Burt and Capt. O'Farrell asked for speedy trial, which was opposed by the government on the ground that it was impossible to get witnesses. The case was finally set for October 10.

THE WHITE HOUSE LADIES.

They Will Visit Lynn Tomorrow and Hold an Informal Reception.

AUBURN DALE, MASS., Sept. 22.—Mrs. Benj. Harrison and party passed a very quiet day at the Woodland Park Hotel yesterday. They received no guests and Mrs. Harrison did not leave the hotel grounds. Wednesday Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. McKee and Baby McKee will visit Lynn, where they will be the guests

Bid. — asked. Metropolitan, 80 bid. — asked. Columbia, 173 bid., 18 asked. Columbia, 18 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Protomac, 80 bid., 9 asked. Rington, 178 bid., 2 asked. Columbia Title, 6½ bid., 7 asked. Gas and Electric Light Stocks.—Washington Basked. Columbia Title, 6½ bid., 7 asked.

Telephone Stocks — Pennsylvania, 23 bid., — asked. Chesapeake and Potomac, 9 bid., 9 asked. Miscellancian Graphophone, 5 bid., 7 asked.

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Safe Deposit Company, 112 bid., — asked. Safe Deposit Company, 112 bid., 9 asked. Safe Deposit Company, 112 bid., 9 asked. Safe Deposit Company, 92 bid. 96 asked. Am

# Baltimore Markets.

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BALTIMORE, Sept. 22.—Flour steady, umchanged—receipts, 18,276 barreis; shipments, 510 barreis; sales. 2,475 barreis. Wheat steady at the decline—No. 2, red, spot, 1.03/2,1.04/2; September, 1.03/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.04/2,1.04/2; December, 1.098/2,1.04/2,1.0

Peanuts unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 22.—Virginia ten-forties, 32
bid; do. threes, 64; Baitimore and Ohio stock,
1003/a1.01; Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern firsts,
993/a1009; do. second incomes, 35 asked; do. third
incomes, 25/a10; Consolidated gas bonds, 113 asked,

Chicago Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 22 (closing). — Wheat — May, 1.063; December, 99. Corn—October, 49); May, 423. Oats—October, 267; May, 303. Pork—October, 1.38; January, 1.283; Lard—October, 6.80; January, 7.00. Ribs—October, 7.00; January, 6.70.

Free Books Only in First Four Grades. o the Editor of The Evening Star: I have read statements from time to time that, commencing with the present school year. books were to be furnished pupils of the public schools free of charge. In your issue of this date a communication signed W. C. Dodge says: "Now that the school books are to be furnished at public expense I want to make the suggestion to the teachers and others in charge that more pains be taken to preserve the books and prevent their mutilation." This is misleading. I send two boys to school and today, as in past years, have been obliged to invest several dolars in books for them. If free books are furnished pupils of the public schools it is only to those of the lower grades, possibly one-third of the schools, and the class of children attending them are the youngest in age, and of course destructive. My object in asking you to publish this is that the outside world be not misled into the belief that the public school children of Washington are blessed with free books, when the largest number of them are not.

B. F. H. "Now that the school books are to be furnished

The United States has purchased of Messrs. A. and T. A. Richards for \$155,000 lots 8 to 10, 13 to 16, and pt. 7, sq. 689, fronting 199 feet 6 inches on New Jersey avenue, running back to South Capitol street, with a front of 199 feet

South Capitol street, with a front of 199 feet southeast.

Alcenda Anderson has purchased for \$5,500 of Mary I. Higgins sub 25, sq. 339, 19½ by 94 feet 10½ inches on 10th between N and O streets northwest.

Emma Thomas has bought for \$4,200 of J. A. Cahill sub 19, sq. 890, 16 by 116 feet on 7th between G and H streets northeast.

THE ROCK CREEK PARK.

The Appraisers Still Listening to All Sorts of Before the Rock Crock Park appraisement

four specimens from the Truesdell tract and on panning them out he found gold. He had had experience in the west and for the past three years been on Senator Hearst's mining property in South Carolina. From his examination he valued the prospect at \$30,000 and

out. As to the sales of prospects he had learned from the Kirks and others.

Mr. Coleman said that with the exception of a witness from Virginia he was through so far s the value of the gold property was con-

Mr. John J. Edson was called by Mr. Perry with reference to the values in the northeast part of the park and gave values as follows: Fenwick's, \$200 per acre; Blair's, \$200; Van Riswich's, \$200 and \$175; Rock Creek Com-pany, \$250; A. C. Bradley, \$500; J. D. Cameron, \$250; S. Freas, \$350; W. K. Ryan, \$350; John Saul, \$350; H. S. Matthews, \$400; White's heirs,

Mesers. R. Hagner, T. A. Lambert, Wm. Stone Abert and R. E. L. White cross-examined Mr. Edson as to his examination of the different

MR. WAGGAMAN ON THEES. The commission this morning heard the testimony of Mr. H. P. Waggaman and he said that

from B. T. Swart to him and from him to John R. Dos Passos and he testified that he was asked to examine the title, but did not remem-ber if he prepared the deeds or the circum-stances connected with it. He had no interest in the matter and acted merely as a conduit for the title.

THE USUAL MOTION. Mr. Wm. Stone Abert-I make the usual motion to strike out. Mr. Perry-They will move to strike me out

Mr. B. D. Carpenter was called by Mr. Perry and Mr. Conway Robinson objected to Mr. Car-penter testifying on the ground that the prop-erty of his wife being involved he was an inter-

ested party.

Mr. Robinson, after stating that Mrs. Carpenter claimed a strip of land which had been used as a road, made quite a lengthy argument and sea followed by Judge Wilson, who claimed was followed by Judge Wilson, who claimed that it was impossible for Mr. Carpenter to testify to values without affecting the wife.

The commission reserved decision on the motion till tomorrow at 10 o'clock, to which

Mr. Perry objected to stating that for it was the market value which was to be given.

The Death of Balmucede Although there have been several telegram received from Chili at the headquarters of the Chilian congressional envoys in this city during the past few days, none of them make any specific mention of the suicide of ex-President Balmaceda on Saturday. One of them, however, which came to hand this morning may have some bearing upon it. This was dated Santiago, September 21. and was signed by George Montt, the president of the junta. It was very brief and simply said: "Tranquility prevails." Mr. Julio Foster, who is assisting the envoys here, and who er, who is assisting the chroys net, make in just now is in charge of their headquarters in the absence of Mr. Pedro Montt from the city, is of opinion that the dispatch refers to the condition of affairs in Chili after the death of Balmaceda, and the reason why Mr. Montt makes no mention of the tragedy is because he assumes that it is already very well known.

## WASHINGTON NEWS AND GOSSIP.

A PUBLIC BUILDING SITE.-Treasury Agent Avery has recommended as his first choice for a site for the public building in Rock Island, Ill., the property at the southwest corner of 2d and 16th streets, price, \$10,000; second choices northwest corner of 3d avenue and 19th street,

SENTENCE REMITTED .-- The President has remitted the sentence for thirty days, on payment of the fine of \$100 and costs, in the case of Cade Calcote of Mississippi, convicted of violation of the internal revenue laws.

Spaulding has informed the collector of cus-Spaulding has informed the concessor of cus-toms at Detroit, Mich., that there is no provis-ion of law to authorize the withdrawal of spirite from a distillery bonded ware house without payment of taxes for the purpose of being stored in another ware house unless such other stored in another ware house unless such other ware house is bonded under the provisions of section 3433, Revised Statutes.

ARMY ORDERS.-First Lieut. Abraham P. Buffington (recently promoted from second lieutenant, seventh infantry), is assigned to the first infantry, company C, to date from Sep-tember 10, 1891, vice Wever, dropped for deser-tion. He will remain on duty with the seventh infantry until further orders. Capt. James O. infantry until further orders. Capt. James O. Mackay, third cavalry, will, at his own request, be relieved from recruiting duty by the superintendent of the recruiting service upon the discontinuance of the rendezvous at Elmira, N. Y., and will then proceed to join his regiment. Leave of absence until November 1, 1891, is granted Second Lieut. Edson A. Lewis, 1891, is granted second Lieut. Edson A. Lewis, eighteenth infantry. The leave of absence granted Capt. Carle A. Woodruff, second artillery, in special orders, No. 93, September 5, 1891, department of the Missouri, is extended one month. Leave of absence for two months, to take effect upon the completion of the ar-tillery practice of his battery, with permission to apply for an extension of two months, is granted First Lieut. David J. Rumbough, third

NAVAL ORDERS .- Lieut. J. D. J. Kelly has been ordered as steel inspector at Pittsburg, Pa. Lieut Commander E. Longnecker and Pn. Lieut. Commander E. Longnecker and Ensign John Gibson have been ordered to examination for promotion. Pay Inspector T. T. Caswell, ordered to duty in charge of navy pay office at Washington, D.C., on the 30th instant. Lieut. Nelson T. Houston, detached from the Newark and ordered to the Petrel as executive. Lieut. Walter McLean, detached from the Enterprise and ordered to the Yantic. Lieut. Richard Mitchell, detached from the Vermont and ordered to the Yantic Lieut. Henry H. Barrall, detached from the branch hydrographic office at Norfolk on the 30th in Henry H. Barrall, detached from the branch hydrographic office at Norfolk on the 30th instant and ordered to the Petrel on the 1st of October. Ensign Stokely Morgan, detached from the Petrel and ordered to the Fern. Ensign Frank Marble, detached from the Newark and ordered to the Petrel. Pay Inspector A. J. Clark, detached from the navy pay office at Boston on the 1st of October next and ordered to duty in charge of the navy pay office at New York. Pay Director Edward May, detached from the navy pay office at Washington, D.C., on the 30th instant and ordered to duty in charge of the navy pay office at Boston on the charge of the navy pay office at Boston on lat of October next.

A largely attended meeting of D. P. Holloway Lodge, I. O. G. T., was held at their rooms, corner of 5th and G streets northwest, last evening. Several members of sister lodges were present and took part in the good work of the order.

In the case of Gottschalk Company agt. Dunn et al. the Baltimore firms of C. H. Ross & Co. and E. B. Bruce & Co. have been allowed to intervene, the first claiming \$1,500 and the second \$2,121.11.

ONLY ONE PROPOSAL

To Remove the Garbage for the Rest of This Three Hundred Physicians and Sur Another solution of the garbage problem was attempted today. Promptly at noon the Commissioners threw open the doors of the board room and anounced that they were ready to open bids for

the completion of the garbage contract which Contractor Draney threw up some time ago. Before opening the bids Mr. John H. Crane entered an objection to the method of procedure and filed the following letter in explanation thereof, which Commissioner Douglass read:

The Commissioners of the District of Columbia: Gentlemen: I have before me a copy of the immediate suburbs during the unexpired por-tion of the current fiscal year.

I infer that these specifications are author-ized by the District Commissioners, though so far as the document itself is concerned it con-tains nothing to show that it is authorized by

MR. JOHN H. CRANE'S PROTEST.

when trees were on the grade and situated advantageously were a value to a place. In Woodley this course was pursued in the main and the place was cleaned up, the brush wood cut out, ac. He had some difficulty in disposing of the wood. He bought and subdivided into villa lots four years ago and had sold four. It is the intention to resubdivide into city lots.

By Judge Wilson: The cutting off of trees in the park destroyed the lands for park purposes.

By the commission: Witness sold the lots in Woodley about four years ago for 9 cents in Woodley about four years ago and had sold four. It is the intention to this defect in a centural to years on thouses, green grocer establishments, restaurants, cyster houses and boarding houses, which accumulate more than one-half the garbage in the city. Having called attention to this defect in a centuring houses, which accumulate more than one-half the garbage in the city. Having called attention to this defect in a centuring houses, which accumulate more than one-half the garbage in the city. Having called attention to this green groceries, oyster houses, restaurants and

green groceries, oyster houses, restaurants and boarding houses, except what is implied in the language of the first specification, which requires "the contractor to furnish all necessary labor, materials, &c., &c., \* \* \* for the prompt execution of work of collecting all matter called garbage?"

I will not undertake to say why this important omission is allowed in these specifications, but the effect of it is to give the health officer power to enable a contractor to make officer power to enable a contractor to make money or subject him to a great loss solely on the construction he may place on the words, "for the prompt execution of work of collecting all matter called garbage," as applied to commission houses, green groceries, oyster houses, restaurants and boarding houses. If he construes prompt remove of garbage from said places to mean once or twice per week, the contractor can make money even on a low bid. If construed twice per day, he might ose money on a high bid.

to change the specifications in the slightest degree, as that would relieve the old contractor of his bond. He said the health department did prepare specifications that obvi-ated all difficulties. But they could not be in-corporated in this year's contract. Next year,

wever, the whole thing will be changed. ONE PROPOSAL ONLY. Then Commissioner Douglass called for the bids and Secretary Tindall handed him over one proposal. It was from Mr. R. B. Rusk and he guaranteed to do the work for the remainder of the fiscal year for the sum of \$34,200 The bid was taken under consideration. Be-fore leaving Mr. T. W. Smith, who was present, suggested that in the new specifications the arge wholesale dealers and commission merchants be made to remove all of their garbage their own expense.

Commissioner Ross thought this an excellent suggestion, and promised to consider it when

### the new specifications came up for discussion THE THRELKELD BUILDING The Health Officer's Report on the Inspec

This afternoon Health Officer Hammett sen the Commissioners a letter calling their attention to the inspections and condition of the Threlkeld School and the neighborhood adjacent and recommended that the Comnissioners take immediate action in the matter toward abating the nuisances in the streets as stated in the reports of the inspectors. Accompanying the letter was the report of

found the building in a fair sanitary condition, with few exceptions. The plumbing, the report says, is located outside of the building and is in good condition. There is some dampness and a damp, earthy odor which arises from the basement. One portion of this is flooded and the other portion is paved. As a sanitary measure the flooring, which in many places is decayed, should be removed and solid concrete substituted. This

the inspectors, in which they state that they

could be washed and cleaned, so that it would improve the sanitary condition of the building. Stewart Acquitted.

After a recess of a couple of months Judge Miller resumed the jury trials in the Police Court today, and the case of John Stewart for assault was first called. Stewart lives in East Washington, and although young in years his police experience has been one of many chapters. Today he was charged with assaulting Policemen Kramer and Horton while the latter had him under arrest. The affair happened about three weeks ago, and among the participants were the officers, the defendant, Policeman Lightfoot and Policeman Kramer's bull-dog.

Policemen Lightfoot and Stewart were worsted in the affray. The former, who was in citizens' clothes and who was not known to the other officers, received a severe blow on the head from Officer Horton's club. After a recess of a couple of months Judge

other olders, received a severe blow on the head from Officer Horton's club. Stewart's bloody shirt was produced in evi-dence by Lawyer Moss, his counsel. The jury, after hearing the testimony, returned a verdict

Two Cases of Assault. A colored woman named Nannie Dodson was before Judge Miller this morning charged with using a razor on Amanda Lucas. The trouble was about a man and Amanda received several cuts about the arm. The prisoner denied that she used a razor and claimed that it was only

she used a razor and claimed that it was only a knife. Judge Miller was satisfied that the weapon used was a razor and gave Naunie six months in jail.

Worran Armfield, a colored boy, was tried for assaulting Frank Proctor, another colored boy. The boys mentioned with others were playing ball and the game broke up in a fight, during which Armfield used a stone on Proctor. After speaking of the dangerous practice of throwing stones Judge Miller gave Armfield four months. The Workingman's Co-operative Association

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OR, DOCTOR. DOCTOR!

Three Mundred Physicians and Surgeons Attending the Triennial Congress.

MEDICAL MEN SCATTERED ABOUT ALL THE UTTOWN HOTELS—WORK OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEES—OPENING EXERCISES OF THE CONVENTION—THE REPARATE SOCIETIES AND THEIR WORK.

"Oh, doctor!"

One of those practical humorists whose principal mission in life is the disturbing of other people said that this morning while standing

The registration department is cared for by Mr. F. W. Stone of the Army Medical Museum Library. Mr. Stone sits at the receipt of cus-

Between the windows on the Vermont avenue ert A. Murray, New York: Albert Rufus stamps and postal cards. On a plush uphoistered chair on one side of the table is a street letter box; on the other side is Mr. C. M. Tow-ers of the city post office. Mr. Towers is post-

depth of good-natured and at times really jocular humanity; they belong to that class of men who (to use one of Bill Nye's expressions), "take life easily." When one of them begins to discuss in an off-hand style a case of orbital traumatism followed by monocular blindness due to fracture of the foramen opticum the average layman loses interest in the language, but he cannot forget that every discussion tends to the alleviation of human suffering and the lengthening of human existence.

The Laryngolical Society met in parlor A at 10 o'clock and adjourned soon after.

The Physiological Society held a short session across the hall in parlor 181.

The Pediatric Society, one of the younger organizations, will meet at 8 o'clock. Dr. T. M. Rotch of Boston will deliver the opening M. Rotch of Boston will deliver the opening address upon pneumonia in children.

The Ophthalmological society will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock in ladies' parlor 2.

The Otological Society met at 10 o'clock this morning in ladies' parlor 1 and held a long sesmorning in ladies parior I and held a long ses-sion, a number of papers being read.

The Neurological Society met at 10 in parlors 182-183, and listened to papers by the following members: Drs. W. Sinkler, Philadelphia, president; W. C. Krauss, Buffulo; V. P. Gibney, Ne York, and F. S. Descum, Philadelphia.

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The Association of Andrology and Syphilology met at the Shoreham at 10:30 o'clock this morning. After the address by the president there was a report by the committee on nomenclature and a discussion on the subject. A number of technical papers were read and discussed. Prior to the regular morning session there was a business meeting, at which the nominations for officers were made. The election of officers will occur tomorrow.

rate morning season of the American Gyne-cological Society began at 9:30 this morning with an address of welcome by Dr. Joseph Taber Johnson of this city. A number of papers were then read and discussed. The afternoon session began at 2:30 o'clock. The Surgical Association met at 10 a.m. in the main hall, Grand Army building, and listened to President Mastin's address and to interesting papers and discussions.

the order you speak of by verbal permission to railroads to continue the use of cobble in view of the heavy expense they are being put to in changing their rails. I think the order should be revoked." A STATUE TO RUSH.

The following circular has been circulated among members of the congress: To the members of the congress of American physicians and surgeons: The physicians and surge

The physicians and surgeons in attendance upon this congress cannot fall to note the absence among the statues of American heroes adorning the city of Washheroes adorning the city of Washington of any commemorating a member of the profession of medicine. In view of the fact that he who has been appropriately styled "the greatest physician this country has ever produced" was pre-eminent in the work of founding this republic as a signer of the Declaration of Independence, as a member of the convention which framed the federal constitution and as surgeon general and physicians.

For the committee, Albert L. Gihon, M.D., U. S. navy, chairman. George H. Rose, M.D.,

on wounds."

The referee was Dr. William H. Welch of Baltimore, professor of pathology in Johns Hopkins University, and the co-referee, Dr. Roswell Park of Buffalo, professor of surgery in the Buffalo Medical College; followed by a discussion by Dr. Arthur T. Cabot, Dr. Harold Ernst, Dr. Arpad G. Gerster and others.

Doctors Who Have Registered. Following is a complete roster of all the doctors who have registered up to 2 p.m. this after-

tors who have registered up to 2 p.m. this afternoon: G. E. Abbott, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; S. S. Adams, Washington, D.C.; D. H. Agnew, Philadelphia; H. P. Allen, Columbus, Ohio; John Ashhurst, jr., Philadelphia; J. E. Atkinson, Baltimore; Gogham Bacon, New York; L. B. Bangs, New York; Beberi Barciay, St. Louis; G. Baumgarten, St. Louis; J. S. Billings, Washington, D. C.; R. B. Bontecon, Troy, N.; W. Browning, Brooklyn; E. C. Burnett, St. Louis; S. C. Bussy, Washington, D. C.; John Byrns, Brooklyn; J. R. Chadwick, Boston; S. Bolis-Cohen, Philadelphia; N. P. Dandridge, Cincinnati; L. G. N. Densloy, Well in Newart, N. J. The Workingman's Co-operative Association has, by Harry L. Weeks, William H. Spencer and James H. Britton, filed a certificate of incorporation, in which the object is a society

people said that this morning while standing just inside the doorway of the Arlington Hotel.

Thirty-seven men turned toward the funny one and at least, nineteen responded "Well?"

A. Jacobi, New York, W. A. Javne, Georgetown. New York: Gentlemen: I have before me a copy of the specifications for removing garbage and dead animals from the city of Washington and its immediate suburbs during the unexpired portion of the current fiscal year.

The same conditions prevailed at Grand Col.: J. T. Johnson, Washington, D. C.: Considering the University building. A brick thrown carelessly in either of the F. A. King, Washington, D. C.: R. A. Kinloch, Charleston, S. C. Charleston, S. neighborhoods mentioned would almost certainly hit some follower of the healing art, and by a strange chance the injured one should be of another profession a score of medicos be of another profession a score of medicos profession a score of medi ired by the District Commissioners, thought so defined the District Commissioners than the decimal steel is concerned it contains nothing to show that it is authorized by the deposited with each bid, but it is authorized by the deposited with each bid, but the requirement does not say where or with the more is to be deposited with each bid, but the requirement does not say where or with the more is to be deposited. Which is required to the requirement does not say where or with the control of the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the control of the requirement does not say where or with the control of the W. C. Briscoe, Washington, D. C.; Jas. T. Sothron, Washington, D. C.; Albert C. Peale, Washing-ton, D. C.; E. N. Moore, Rochester, N. Y.; E. Fletcher Ingalls, Chicago; E. L. Shirley, Detroit; Presley M. Rixey, Washington, D. C.; James J. Library. Mr. Stone sits at the receipt of custom, as it were, each of the doctors who registers confiding to him his real name and address, the information being invariably accompanied by \$5. This \$5 business seems to be an important feature of the program of the confidence of the program o front of parlor 1 is the post office. A set of pigeon holes, just as numerous as are the letters of the alphabet, stands on a table in company with a pair of letter scales and cardboard box stocked with fax, N. S.; Charles P. Donelson, fax, N. S.; Charles P. Donelson, Muskegon, Mich.; Walter P. Johnson, Pater-son, N. J.; Andrew F. Currier, New York; Ed-ward D. Fisher, New York; H. P. C. Wilson, ers of the city post office. Mr. Towers is post-master.

EARNEST IN THEIR WORK.

As a rule the doctors have a solemncholy air that depresses those who know them not, but henceth the scientific authors.

Mr. Towers is post-marker, New York; Mr. P. C. Wilson, Baltimore; Edmund E. Kelly, Toronto, Ont.; W. Lehman, Toronto, Ont.; George R. West, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Joseph E. Janvrin, New York; Newton M. Shaffer, New York; T. Halstead Myers, New York; Jas. E. Moore, Minneapolis; John T. Carpenter, Pottsville, Pa.; beneath the scientific surface there is a great depth of good-natured and at times wheeling; Geo. K. Meynin, Jamaica, L. L.; W. T. Howard, Baltimore; H. C. he read for your inspection.

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been removed some days ago with Mr. Petty, another teacher, was at his desk again, to which they entered a protest. The Commissioners will consult with the school board about the

WILL READVERTISE FOR PROPOSALS. The Commissioners today decided to readvertise for proposals to construct an addition to the female work house, the first bids for which to the United States parcel No. 67 in the Rock were opened on the 17th instant. COBBLE STONES BETWEEN TRACKS

Upon the recommendation of Capt. Rossell the Commissioners yesteday revoked the order of April 19, 1889, prohibiting railroad companies from laying cobble stones between the rails or tracks on any street. In conversation with Capt. Rossell upon the subject he said:

The Commissioners have already nullified the order you speak of by verbal permission to railroads to continue the use of cobble in view

THAT COBBLE STONE ORDER REVOKED The order of the Commissioners, dated yesterday, revoking the order of 1889, which prohibited the use of cobble between the tracks of the street railroad companies, was in turn revoked today, Commissioner Douglass scratching his name from the order. Tomorrow or next day the Commissioners will discuss this matter in learning of seventees. matter in board session. CONTRACTOR'S FRAWLEY'S CLAIM.

In the matter of the claim of Patrick Frawley, the contractor to grade the bathing beach, for extra work alleged to have been done by for extra work alleged to have been done by him on that place to the extent of \$1,118, the Commissioners today decided that in view of the report of Capt. Rossell that the work was not done in accordance with the contract the Commissioners could not properly make any further payments to him on that account. Also that Frawley should pay for the work done under the ar-rangement with Mr. Stevens in continuing the grade of the beach.

WILL STAND BY THEIR PRACTICE. Application has been made by a member of the fire department to be allowed to have counsel present at his trial. The custom heretofore has been not to allow this, and the Com-BUILDING PERMITS. Building permits have been issued as follows:

M. E. Pitney, one brick dwelling, Princeton between 13th and 14th streets, Columbi U. S. navy, chairman. George H. Rome, M.D., secretary.

OPENING OF THE CONGRESS.

It was somewhat later than 3 o'clock when the congress held its first meeting. The subject for discussion was:

"Conditions underlying the infection of wounds, including a discussion of disinfection with reference to treatment of wounds, of the relation of bacteria to suppuration, of the resistence of tissues to the multiplication of bacteria and of the effects of antiseptic agents on wounds."

between 13th and 14th streets. Columbia Heights; \$5,000. T. Taylor, one brick dwelling, 400 10th street southeast; \$2,500. J. H. Lewis, four brick dwellings, 12th street extended; \$10,000. G. L. Cooper, two brick dwellings, 633 and 635 and 37 C street northeast; \$4,400. J. W. Smith, three brick stores, 300 New Jersey avenue and 35 and 37 C street northeast; \$6,000. C. F. Boss, one brick dwelling, 701 Brewer court northeast; \$600. H. Wenzell, one frame dwelling, G street between 17th and 18th streets northeast; \$800. J. Dorsey, one frame dwelling, Hampton

> The police of the sixth precinct have been looking for a negro for an alleged felonious as-sault committed last Saturday, but as yet they have not succeeded in capturing him. He is wanted on a charge of an assault on an elevenyear-old colored girl, named Lily Cole, in an

In Hard Luck and Supposed to Have Taker J. R. Jensen, a man apparently about thirty three years of age, died of morphine poisoning this morning in the room in which he had beer living for several days past at 915 E street On Sunday the man called at the house and engaged the room. He seemed at the time to be in hard luck and complained that his wife had deserted him. Early this morning one of the servant girls in the house entered his room and discovered him sitting on a chair with his head resting heavily on the bed beside him. About 9 o'clock she went in again and found him lying on the bed in an unconscious condition. The patro in an unconscious condition. The patrol wagon of the first precinct was at once summoned and he was taken to the Emergency Hospital. Dr. Hall of the hospital staff rendered medical aid at l did everything possible to restore him, but without success. The man had all the evidences of morphine poisoning, and in his pocket was an empty bottle that had contained morphine pills. The supposition is that he had taken them with suicidal intent. He died at 12:30 o'clock without having recovered consciousness. The body was afterward taken taken

J. R. JENSEN'S SCICIDE.

55 years, phthisis: Delila Mason. 85 years, paralysis; James H. Gray, 65 years, entere colitis; Henrietta Smothers, 29 years, phthisis

The Bill Dismissed. In the case of Jeremiah D. O'Connell against Mary Ellen O'Connell et al. this morning Judge

Cox made a decree dismissing the bill. The parties were man and wife and some years ago separated, and the complainant made over certain property to be held in trust for the support of the wife and children. In August, 1830, through Mr. J. G. Bigelow, the bill was filed to set aside the conveyance, the husband alleging that the condition of the defendant and family is such as no longer to necessitate his continuing the payments. The wife and others resisted this bill, Mr. Leon Tobriner appearing for them, and the case had been on hearing two days and was submitted yesterday. Judge Cox this morning rendered his decision decreeing that the bill be dismissed. Since the original bill was filed the husband has filed a

Mr. Bigelow noted an appeal for the com-plainant to the Court in General Term.

bill for divorce.

entered the house of J. H. Hellman, No. 605 Half street southwest, with intent to commit a felony, and the court committed him for the

M. Kreider, Springfield, Ill.; F. T. Chamberlain, Washington, D. C., and H. Newell Martin, Baltimore.

DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

THE ANACOSTIA TEACHERS' FIGHT.

The old fight over teachers in Anacostia was renewed today. This morning two residents of that section called upon the Commissioners and stated that Teacher Freeman, who had been removed some days ago with Mr. Petty, another teacher, was at his desk again, to which

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> ber of times, and the officers say that he has served a year in the penitentiary. Another Rock Creek Park Deed. The deed of Mr. B. H. Warder, transferring Creek Park, 40 acres, for \$32,000, has been re

than a year. Graham has been arrested a num-

Range of the Thermometer The following were the readings at the office of the weather bureau today: 8 a.m., 70; 2 p.m., 88; maximum, 88; minimum, 62.

BALINGER. On Saturday, September 19, 1891, at 9 p.m., atter a lingering liness, AANIE M., only daughter of Geo. W. and Mary V. Balinger, in the eighteenth year of her age.
Funeral from her late residence, No. 1024 Thirty, first street northwest, Wednesday, September 23, at 4 o'clock p. m. Relatives and triends invited to attend. CHAMBERIAN. In New York city Friday, September 18, 1891, Mrs. ALICE 1806ERSOLL, wife of Daniel Henry Chamberian, torry-five years.
Funeral from residence, Morris Heights, New York city, Tuesday, September 22, at 2 o'clock.
HUMPHRIES. On the morning of September 22, One we loved has left our number
For the dark and silent toinh,
Closed her eyes in despest sumber,
Faded in her early bloom,
BY HER AUNT ELLA.

McKENNEY. On Sunday, September 20, 1891, at 11 p.m., ROBERT L., youngest son of Eleanor and the late Joseph McKenney.

Funeral from his late residence, 403 B street northeast, Wednesday, September 23, at 10 a.m. Relative and friends are invited to attend. NALLEY. On Sunday, September 20, 1891, a O'clock p.m., CORRILLER V., beloved wife Wildam W. Nalley and daughter of the late Thos.

erson.

Dearest mother, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feed,
But 'tis God that has bereft us,
He can all our sorrow heal.
Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fied,
When in heaven with loy to great thes,
Where no farewell tear is shed.

BY HER CHILDREN. Funeral from her late residence, 1246 Elevent street southeast, Wednesday, September 23, at o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends are respectful invited to attend. TIBBS. On Monday, September 21, 1891, at

Funeral from Nineteenth Street Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Wednesday, September 23.

Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment. GRIFFIN. The remains of JAMES ALBERT, lat-husband of Ida E. Griffin, will be interred from the public vaulit at Rock Creek, connetery Friday, Septem ter 25, 1891, at 3 o'clock p.m., providing at does no rain; in case of rain the interment will take place the next day, Saturday, same hour. Relatives and triend are respectfully invited to attend.

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